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In re application of: Ronald M. BURCH, et al.
Serial No.: 10/057,630
Filed: January 25, 2002
For: ANALGESIC COMBINATION OF OXYCODONE AND NIMESULIDE

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment (13 pages) in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
[] Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
 No fee for additional claims is required.
[] A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

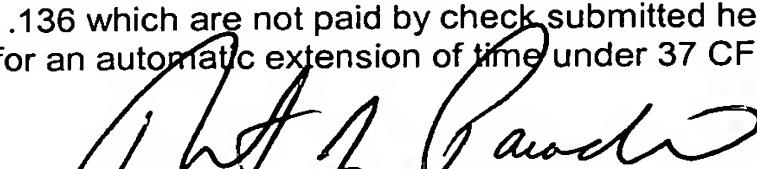
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FOR:	REMAINING	HIGHEST	
	AFTER	PREVIOUSLY	PRESENT
	AMENDMENT	PAID FOR	EXTRA
TOTAL CLAIMS	Minus	=	0
INDEP. CLAIMS	Minus	=	0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			

SMALL ENTITY		LARGE ENTITY	
RATE	FEE	OR	RATE
[x] \$ 9	\$	[x] \$ 18	\$
[x] \$ 42	\$	[x] \$ 84	\$
[+] \$180	\$	[+] \$360	\$360.00

TOTAL: \$ OR TOTAL: \$360.00

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- [] Also transmitted herewith are:
[] Petition for three (3) month extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
[] Other:
- [] Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is/are attached to cover:
[] Filing fee for multiple dependent claim
[] Petition for three (3) month extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
- Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
 Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.


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